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Application Number: 10/626,973) Examiner: Unassigned
Filed: July 25, 2003)
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METHOD FOR CORRECTING)
VISION USING AN ELECTRO-)
ACTIVE LENS)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above-identified patent application, please amend the application as follows:

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RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Enclosed is a Preliminary Amendment in connection with the above-identified patent application.

- [] A petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
- [] Also enclosed is _____.
- [] A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) is also enclosed.
- [] No additional claim fee is required.
- [X] An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS					
	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	36	Minus 16 =	16	x \$18.00 =	288.00
Independent Claims	5	Minus 3 =	2	x \$84.00 =	172.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$260.00					0
Total Amendment Fee					0
If small entity status is claimed, subtract 50% of Total Amendment Fee					0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					460.00

[] Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 50-0206 for the fee due.

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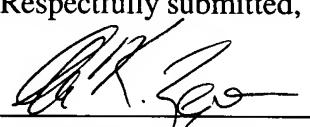
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[X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 08-3436.

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